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Legislative Update

BREAKING NEWS FROM SENATOR GARCIA'S OFFICE
A Legislative Bulletin for Residents of the 22nd District

Garcia's BILL OF THE WEEK!

SB 127: Privacy Rights and Cellular Phone Number Directories

Senator Garcia has cosponsored a bill that would require telecommunication companies to obtain customer consent before listing their cellular phone number in a directory. The bill was introduced by Senator Bill Hardiman in an effort to maintain mobile phone subscribers' privacy. Senate Bill 127 has been referred to the committee on Technology and Energy.



Numerous bills were introduced this week!

Should you wish to learn more about the proposed legislation, please visit www.michiganlegislature.org and enter the bill number where indicated. The web-site will provide you with the bill's language as introduced and an analysis describing how the bill will affect area industry, the economy and consumers.

Senator Garcia is eager to learn how you feel about proposed legislation. He welcomes your responses via e-mail at senvgarcia@senate.michigan.gov.

YOUR WEEK AHEAD - - A preview of next week's committee hearings:

1. House Health Policy Committee

Tuesday, February 15 at 10:30 a.m. in 521 House Office Building

Presentations by Janet Olszewski, Director of the Michigan Department of Community Health, Chris Goeschel, Executive Director of the Michigan Health and Hospital Association Keystone Center for patient Safety and Quality, Dr. Alan Mindlin, President-elect of Michigan State medical Society, and Tom Bissonnetter, Executive Director of the Michigan Nurses Association.

2. Senate Committee on Commerce and Labor

Tuesday, February 15 at 3 p.m. in room 100 of the Farnum Building. Reviewing bills SB 171, 172, 173 and 174.

March is Reading Month!

If your child's school would like to invite Senator Garcia to read to their classmates during March, please contact the Senator's scheduler at (517) 373-2420.